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## CH. 17 PROBABILITY MODELS

Binomial models:

- \* Interested in the number of successes in a set # of trials
- \* 4 conditions that must apply:
  - Only 2 possible outcomes (success/failure) *correct incorrect*
  - Probability of success remains constant (called  $p$ ) *0.25*
  - Number of trials is set/known (called  $n$ )  *$n=10$*
- Independent trials
- \* **10% condition:** If we cannot assume independence we can proceed as long as the sample is smaller than 10% of the population ( $\text{pop} \geq 10n$ )

\* If these 4 conditions apply, we have a **Bernoulli trial**  
Binomial Variable

**Notation:**

$B(n, p)$

$N(\mu, \sigma)$

Ex:

$$\mu_x = n \cdot p$$

# successes

$$\mu_c = 10 \cdot 0.25 = 2.5 \text{ questions}$$

$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{n \cdot p \cdot (1-p)}$$

$\sqrt{n \cdot p \cdot q}$   
↑ success failure

$$\sigma_c = \sqrt{10 \cdot 0.25 \cdot 0.75}$$

$$\sigma_c = 1.369 \text{ questions}$$

**Binomial probabilities:**

Example (from earlier):

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- What is the probability of having 2 or more defective chips?
- What is the probability of having 1 or less defective chips?
- What is the probability of having exactly 2 defective chips?

STEP 1: Bernoulli? check to see....

- ① success = defective failure = not defective  $B(3, 0.25)$
- ②  $p = 0.25$
- ③  $n = 3$
- ④  $\text{pop} \geq 10n$  There are more than 30 computer chips  $\Rightarrow$  independence

STEP 2: Create probability distribution (we did this before)

X	0	1	2	3
P(X)	0.42188	0.42188	0.14063	0.01563

STEP 3: ANSWER THE QUESTIONS (notation!!)

- What is the probability of having 2 or more defective chips?  
 $P(X \geq 2) = 0.15626$
- What is the probability of having 1 or less defective chips?  
 $P(X \leq 1) = 0.84376$
- What is the probability of having exactly 2 defective chips?  
 $P(X = 2) = 0.14063$

**QUICKER WAY TO GET PROBABILITIES:**

Formula:

$$P(X = k) = {}^n C_k (p^k)(q^{n-k})$$

combinations

Same example:  $B(3, 0.25)$

X	0	1	2	3
P(X)	0.421875	0.421875	0.140625	0.015625

$$P(X=0) = ({}^3 C_0)(0.25^0)(0.75^3)$$

$$P(X=1) = ({}^3 C_1)(0.25^1)(0.75^2)$$

Example: I am playing a game in which I have only a 39% chance of winning. I am playing 4 times. Create the probability distribution below:  $P(X=k) = \binom{n}{k} p^k (q)^{n-k}$  (Binom)

X (k)	P(X)	P(X=k)
0	$(4nC0)(0.39^0)(0.61^4) = 0.13846$	
1	$(4nC1)(0.39^1)(0.61^3) = 0.35409$	
2	$(4nC2)(0.39^2)(0.61^2) = 0.33958$	
3	$\vdots = 0.14474$	
4	$\vdots = 0.02313$	

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X	P(X)
0	0.13846
1	0.35409
2	0.33958
3	0.14474
4	0.02313

$B(4, 0.39)$   
 $P(X=0)$   
 $\text{binompdf}(4, 0.39, 0)$

So let's answer some easy questions:

$P(X=2) =$

$P(X < 2) =$

$P(X \geq 3) =$

$P(2 \leq X \leq 4) =$

Now let's change the sample size to 10.  $B(10, 0.39)$

X	P(X)
0	
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	
9	
10	

$P(X=9) =$

$P(X < 4) =$

$P(X \geq 6) =$

$P(5 \leq X \leq 7) =$

$P(20 \leq X \leq 50)$

Would you want to answer these questions for a sample size of 50? Of 100? NO! So we can use the calculator!

For  $P(X=k)$

- Use ...  $\text{binompdf}(n, p, k)$
- $k =$  the number you are looking for...  
Example:  $P(X=5)$ .....  $k=5$
- pdf = probability distribution function  
(gives each individual outcome's probability)

For  $P(X \leq k)$

- Use ...  $\text{binomcdf}(n, p, k)$   $P(X > 15) = P(X \geq 16)$   
 $1 - P(X \leq 15)$
- $k =$  the number you are looking for...  
Example:  $P(X \leq 6)$ .....  $k=6$   
 $P(X < 11) = P(X \leq 10)$
- Notice that is ONLY GIVES YOU: LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO
- cdf = cumulative distribution function... adds up all the probabilities below  
Ex:  $P(X \leq 3) = P(X=0) + P(X=1) + P(X=2) + P(X=3)$

**Example:** John is taking archery. He has a 30% chance of hitting the target each time he shoots. He shoots 8 times. (Let's do this example together)

- What is the probability that he hits the target 4 times?
- What is the probability that he hits the target 2 times or less?
- What is the probability that he hits the target at least 3 times?
- What is the probability that he hits the target less than 5 times?
- What is the probability that he hits the target more than 6 times?
- How many times do we expect him to hit the target? (average!)
- What is the standard deviation of the number of times he hits the target?

**Example:** John is **\*ANSWERS\*** as a 30% chance of hitting the target each time he shoots **B(8, 0.30)**.

- 1) What is the probability that he hits the target 4 times?  
 $P(X = 4) = \text{binompdf}(8, 0.30, 4) =$
- 2) What is the probability that he hits the target 2 times or less?  
 $P(X \leq 2) = \text{binomcdf}(8, 0.30, 2) =$
- 3) What is the probability that he hits the target at least 3 times?  
 $P(X \geq 3) = 1 - P(X \leq 2) = 1 - \text{binomcdf}(8, 0.30, 2) =$
- 4) What is the probability that he hits the target less than 5 times?  
 $P(X < 5) = P(X \leq 4) = \text{binomcdf}(8, 0.30, 4) =$
- 5) What is the probability that he hits the target more than 6 times?  
 $P(X > 6) = P(X \geq 7) = 1 - P(X \leq 6) = 1 - \text{binomcdf}(8, 0.30, 6) =$
- 6) How many times do we expect him to hit the target? (average!)  
 $E(X) = \mu_x = 8 * 0.30 = 2.4 \text{ times}$
- 7) What is the standard deviation of the number of times he hits the target?  
 $\sigma_x = \sqrt{8 * 0.30 * 0.70} = 1.296 \text{ times}$

**Try this example on your own:** 150 businesses are sent mailings asking them to answer a survey question and send the mailing back. The probability of nonresponse is 55%.

- 1) What is the average number of businesses that WILL respond?
- 2) What is the std. deviation of the number that will respond?
- 3) What is the probability that 75 businesses will respond?
- 4) What is the probability that 60 businesses or less will respond?
- 5) What is the probability that 60 businesses or more will respond?
- 6) What is the probability that less than 60 businesses will respond?
- 7) What is the probability that greater than 60 businesses will respond?
- 8) What number of surveys would you have to send out if you wanted to be able to expect to get 90 back?
- 9) What is the probability that between 50 and 70 businesses will respond?

- 1)  $\mu_x = 67.5$  businesses **B(150, 0.45)**
- 2)  $\sigma_x = 6.093$  businesses
- 3)  $P(X = 75) = 0.0306$
- 4)  $P(X \leq 60) = 0.1251$
- 5)  $P(X \geq 60) = 1 - P(X \leq 59) = 0.9058$
- 6)  $P(X < 60) = P(X \leq 59) = 0.0942$
- 7)  $P(X > 60) = 1 - P(X \leq 60) = 0.8749$
- 8)  $n = 200$
- 9)  $P(50 < X < 70) = P(51 \leq X \leq 69)$   
  
 $= P(X \leq 69) - P(X \leq 50)$   
  
 $= 0.6271$

### Complete worksheet #1

Worksheet answers:

- 1) (a) Yes  
 (b) Yes  
 (c) No- no "success"  
 (d) No- more than 2 outcomes  
 (e) No- more than 2 outcomes  
 (f) No- probability of success isn't constant  
 (g) Yes  
 (h) Yes  
 (i) No- more than 2 outcomes  
 (j) Yes

- 2) Binomial?  
 - succes = alarm failing      failure = alarm working  
 -  $p = 0.05$  and is constant  
 - Independent trials stated  
 -  $n = 6$   
**B(6, 0.05)**  
 (a)  $P(X = 3) = \text{binompdf}(6, 0.05, 3) = 0.002$   
 (b)  $P(X < 2) = P(X \leq 1) = \text{binomcdf}(6, 0.05, 1) = 0.9672$   
 (c)  $P(X = 0) = \text{binompdf}(6, 0.05, 0) = 0.7351$

③  $B(10, 0.25)$   $P(X \geq 6) = 1 - P(X \leq 5) = 0.0197$

④  $B(15, 0.90)$   $P(X \geq 9) = 1 - P(X \leq 8) = 0.9997$

⑤  $B(10, 0.60)$   $P(X = 3) = 0.0425$

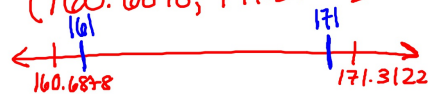
⑥  $B(9, 0.60)$  ④  $P(X \geq 5) = 1 - P(X \leq 4) = 0.7334$

⑤  $P(X = 7) = 0.1612$

③  $P(X > 3) = 1 - P(X \leq 3) = 0.9006$

⑧  $\mu \pm \sigma$

$(160.6878, 171.3122)$



$P(161 \leq X \leq 171)$

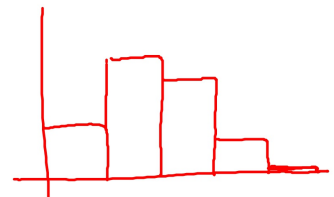
$P(X \leq 171) - P(X \leq 160) = 0.6998$

$\text{binomcdf}(200, 0.83, 171) - \text{binomcdf}(200, 0.83, 160)$

Complete the experiment in the notes

(If you don't have the notes, let me know- I have extra copies of the expt)

x	P(x)
0	0.17851
1	0.38448
2	0.31054
3	0.11148
4	0.01501



Complete the experiment

$n = 4$

$n = 10$

$n = 20$

$n = 30$

### Ch. 17: Probability Models:

#### **Binomial Random Variables: LARGE SAMPLE SIZE**

What happens to the shape of the Binomial Random Variable when  $n$  is large?

What is considered a "large enough"  $n$  (for the shape to look normal)??



### So if the check passes...

- We can say that the distribution is approx. normal,

and can use normalcdf!

- Calculator:  
normalcdf(lower bound, upper bound, mean, std. dev)

- Same mean and std dev. that we learned before:

$$\mu_X = n \cdot p$$

$$\sigma_X = \sqrt{n \cdot p \cdot (1-p)}$$

### Example 1:

It is said that 75% of people pay their credit card bill on time. If we take a sample of 125 adults, what is the chance that over 80 of them paid their bill on time this past month?  
Bernoulli? Check:

Work:

### Example 2:

Assume 15% of adults jog regularly. We survey 1,000 adults what is the probability that between 120 and 160 people in our sample jogs?

Complete worksheet #1 -- 4, 10

### Answers:

- 1) (a) yes (b) no (c) no  
2) (a) n = 100 (b) n = 34 (c) n = 50

3) B(700, 0.05) Check--> passes  $\frac{(700)(0.05)}{(700)(0.95)} \geq 10$   
 $P(X > 50) = 0.0046$  **N(35, 5.7663)**

4) B(400, 0.48) Check --> passes  $\frac{(400)(0.48)}{(400)(0.52)} \geq 10$   
 $P(180 < X < 220) = 0.8826$  **N(192, 9.992)**

10) B(2000, 0.5) check --> passes  $\frac{(2000)(0.5)}{(2000)(0.5)} \geq 10$   
 $P(975 < X < 1050) = 0.8556$  **N(1000, 22.361)**

On the worksheet:  
#5, 6, 9

5) B(100, 0.70)

Check:

$$100 \cdot 0.70 \geq 10$$

$$100 \cdot 0.30$$

N(70, 4.5826)

$$P(X > 80) = 0.0145$$

6) B(1500, 0.56)

Check:

$$1500 \cdot 0.56 \geq 10$$

$$1500 \cdot 0.44$$

N(840, 19.225)

$$P(X > 750) = 0.9999$$

9) B(1000, 0.10)

Check:

$$1000 \cdot 0.90 \geq 10$$

$$1000 \cdot 0.10$$

N(100, 9.4868)

$$P(X < 100) = 50\%$$

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#18) B(6, 0.80)

$$(a) P(B^c \cap B^c \cap B) = (0.20)(0.20)(0.80) = \mathbf{0.032}$$

$$(b) B(6, 0.20) \quad p = 0.20 \text{ because we are concerned with MISSING}$$

$$P(X \geq 1) = 1 - P(X \leq 0) = \text{binomcdf}(6, 0.20, 0) = \mathbf{0.7379}$$

$$(c) P(B^c \cap B^c \cap B^c \cap B) = 0.0064$$

$$P(B^c \cap B^c \cap B^c \cap B^c \cap B) = 0.00128 > \mathbf{0.00768}$$

$$(d) P(X = 4) = \text{binompdf}(6, 0.80, 4) = \mathbf{0.24576}$$

$$(e) P(X \geq 4) = 1 - P(X \leq 3) = 1 - \text{binomcdf}(6, 0.80, 3) = \mathbf{0.90112}$$

$$(f) P(X \leq 4) = \text{binomcdf}(6, 0.80, 4) = \mathbf{0.34464}$$

29) B(300, 0.06)

$$(a) \text{ check: } (300)(0.06) \\ (300)(0.94) \geq 10 \rightarrow \mathbf{N(18, 4.113)}$$

$$(b) P(X < 12) = \text{normalcdf}(-E99, 12, 18, 4.113) = \mathbf{0.0723}$$

$$(c) P(X > 50) = \text{normalcdf}(50, E99, 18, 4.113) = \mathbf{3.654 \times 10^{-15}}$$

**No, it is not likely.**

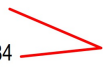
### Book problems:

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### 17) B(5, 0.13)

(a)  $P(L^c \cap L^c \cap L^c \cap L^c \cap L) = (0.87)(0.87)(0.87)(0.87)(0.13) = \mathbf{0.07448}$

(b)  $P(X \geq 1) = 1 - P(X \leq 0) = 1 - \text{binomcdf}(5, 0.13, 0) = \mathbf{0.5016}$

(c) second:  $P(L^c \cap L) = 0.1131$   
 third:  $P(L^c \cap L^c \cap L) = 0.0984$    $= \mathbf{0.2115}$

(d)  $P(X = 3) = \text{binompdf}(5, 0.13, 3) = \mathbf{0.0166}$

(e)  $P(X \geq 3) = 1 - P(X \leq 2) = 1 - \text{binomcdf}(5, 0.13, 2) = \mathbf{0.0179}$

(f)  $P(X \leq 3) = \text{binomcdf}(5, 0.13, 3) = \mathbf{0.9987}$

### 21) B(12, 0.87)

(a)  $\mu_X = 12 \cdot 0.87 = \mathbf{10.44 \text{ people}}$   
 $\sigma_X = \sqrt{12 \cdot 0.87 \cdot 0.13} = \mathbf{1.165 \text{ people}}$

(b) (i)  $1 - P(X = 12) = 1 - \text{binompdf}(12, 0.87, 12) = \mathbf{0.8196}$

(ii)  $P(X \leq 10) = \text{binomcdf}(12, 0.87, 10) = \mathbf{0.4748}$

(iii)  $P(X = 6) = \text{binompdf}(12, 0.87, 6) = \mathbf{0.0019}$

(iv)  $P(X > 6) = 1 - P(X \leq 6) = 1 - \text{binomcdf}(12, 0.87, 6) = \mathbf{0.9978}$

### 26) B(12, 0.125)

(a)  $P(X = 0) = \text{binompdf}(12, 0.125, 0) = \mathbf{0.2014}$

(b)  $P(X \geq 2) = 1 - P(X \leq 1) = 1 - \text{binomcdf}(12, 0.125, 1) = \mathbf{0.4533}$

(c)  $P(X = 3) + P(X = 4) =$   
 $= \text{binompdf}(12, 0.125, 3) + \text{binompdf}(12, 0.125, 4) = \mathbf{0.1707}$

(d)  $P(X \leq 4) = \text{binomcdf}(12, 0.125, 4) = \mathbf{0.9887}$

### 30) B(150, 0.125)

(a)  $\mu_X = 18.75 \text{ frogs}$   
 $\sigma_X = 4.05 \text{ frogs}$

(b) check:  $150 \cdot 0.125 \geq 10$   $N(18.75, 4.05)$   
 $150 \cdot 0.875$

(c)  $P(X > 22) = 0.211$

No

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